

Wounded Tommies Get Mary's Engagement Cake



Princess Mary of England cutting the cake which she donated to the "Not Forgotten association" of wounded soldiers at riding school in Buckingham palace. The cake is her engagement cake and Viscount Lascelles, her fiancé, is standing by during the cutting up.

HIKER FROM DANVILLE



H. H. Rufus of Danville, Ill., leaving the White House after having delivered to President Harding four boxes of Danville, with which he had "hiked" to Washington.

LITTLE BETTY SZE



Pretty little Betty Sze, daughter of the Chinese minister, Dr. Alfred Sze, is shown riding her "Liddle Boy" toy dog, most pleasing of her many Christmas gifts.

Bona Fide Red-Headed League. Sherlock Holmes tells in one of his stories of the Red-headed league—the device by which one of his villains got a clerk temporarily out of the way in order to carry out his schemes against a bank. At Baltimore, a red-headed boy has just been founded without any sinister purpose. The students of Goucher (women's) college in that city have organized a society of which any man, woman, or child in the United States is eligible who can certify that he or she has genuine red hair. The membership fees—\$1 for women and \$2 for men—will go towards the erection of a building of red brick on a new site that the college has obtained in a Baltimore suburb.

It Gets 'Em All. Judge—This court sentences you to imprisonment for one year and ten days.

Criminal—What is the ten days for, your honor?

Judge—War tax—Chesapeake and Ohio Magazine.

Knew His Lesson. "Tell us something about Esau," directed the catechism teacher, Vincent, after clearing his throat, explained that "Esau was a man who wrote fables and sold the copyright to a publisher for a bottle of potash."—Detroit Varsity News.

Task Before America. America, too, will have to strain its energies, crack its sinews and all but break its heart, as the best of us have had to do, before it can become a habitation for the gods.—Thomas Carlyle.

History Repeats Itself? John—Who was it who said: "We'll fight it out on this line if it takes all summer?"

Tommies—I don't know her name, but she's the fresh dame who's always on my party line.—Wayside Tales.

Only Two. Howard—There are only two types of wives.

Ray—Name 'em.

Howard—Those who make you spend your money, and those who make you save it.—Judge.

Bear Cubs Born in Captivity



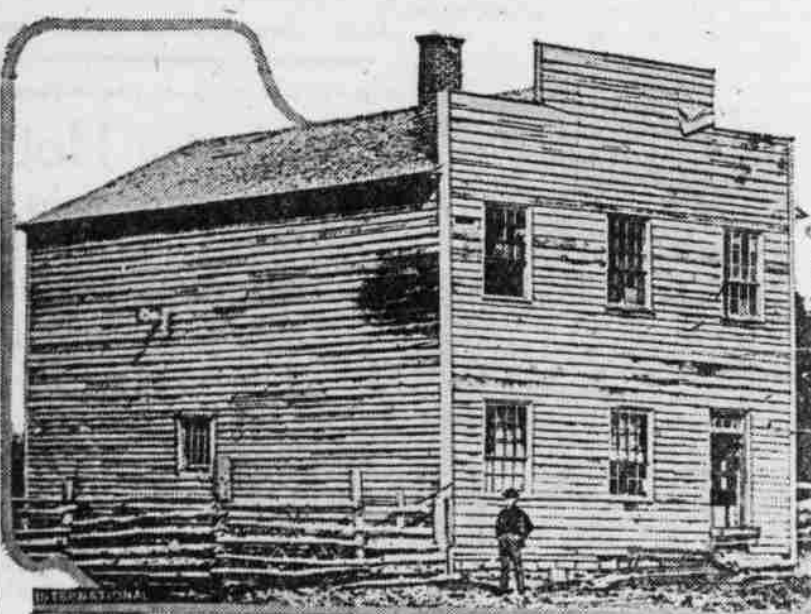
They look rather like a pair of bull pups as they sprawl weakly on the table in front of their owner, but they are that very rare thing, bear cubs born in captivity. And, also, they are hybrid bears, their mother having been a Siberian and their father an American bear. Their birth, in Paris, was a complete surprise to everyone but Mrs. Bear, and her owner, a Swiss named Adde Faron, named them "Soudaine" (All of a Sudden) and "Imprevu" (Unexpected).

This Should Discourage Bandits



A new invention has been made which tells the bank robber. When the robber steps in front of the teller's window and demands that he throw up his hands, with a pressure of his foot the teller causes a curtain of steel to separate him from the bank, at the same time spraying the latter's face with a chemical which temporarily blinds him.

Was Once a Legislative Hall



This white pine structure, erected in 1836, once housed the legislature of the old Wisconsin territory, now the states of Iowa, Michigan and Wisconsin. It is located at Belmont, Wis., and is being preserved by a special act of the present Wisconsin legislature.

WORTH KNOWING

The Alpheus river in Arcadia repeatedly disappears under ground and rises again.

Thirteen million people each day attend moving picture plays in the United States.

During the last ten years New York city gained 854,268 in population. More people live within her boundaries than in any state except Pennsylvania. Illinois and, of course, New York state.

When a crank is turned at one end of what appears to be a large table invented by a Chicago man the top rises and discloses a bed.

Several factories in France are pulverizing the cotton and wool for use in insulating materials to clarify solutions difficult to filter and for other purposes.

By-laws proposed by the Seine department council, France, for street cars and omnibuses operating in the district, will compel men to give up their seats to elderly women or mothers with children.

Nearly 200 alphabets, ancient and modern, are known, of which 50 are now in use.

Tea was wholly unknown to the western nations until the beginning of the Seventeenth century.

A new safety device indicates the amount of salt in water that enters boilers and lights a lamp as a warning when it threatens to damage the boiler tubes.

To celebrate the jubilee of George III, the landlord of a tavern in London, made a plum pudding weighing 500 pounds, and put it up as a prize to be eaten for by teams of six men each.

A man once toured the country and astonished scientists with an automatic chess player. It was an iron box too small to hold a human. The man moved the chess men intelligently. Later this mystery was solved. The iron box contained a legless midge.

STATE SIFTINGS

French Crow was nominated to be postmaster at Marion.

Mrs. Flora Shaw, 26, Columbus, was killed by an auto truck.

Mission funds raised in the Episcopal diocese of Ohio last year totaled \$150,000.

Alex Rottinger, 56, former chief of the Sandusky fire department, died suddenly of heart disease.

Matthias J. Viemeyer, 57, Newark, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. She had been ill.

With a daily supply of 1,200 loaves of bread assured, Mayor Adolph Unger of Tiffin continued his fight against bakers' bread prices.

For the first time in the history of Alliance schools mid-year commencement will be held. A class of 35 will be given high school diplomas.

Shore Haven, a summer resort at Euclid village, east of Cleveland, was threatened with destruction when two summer homes were burned. Loss \$40,000.

People's hospital at Akron may be given to the city, together with an endowment fund of \$200,000, according to tentative plans considered by the directors.

When a film ignited in the Elite theater at Napoleon, the audience made a rush for the exits, but no one was injured. The fire caused about \$1,000 damage.

Homer C. Campbell, 41, manager and secretary of the Akron Home Owners' Investment company, was chosen by council as Akron's new chief administrator.

Bernard Thompson, 15, Lima, died five hours after having been rescued in an unconscious condition from seven feet of water in the Y. M. C. A. swimming pool.

Twenty-three students and officials of the vocational school at Camp Sherman recovered from what school medical authorities pronounced cases of ptomaine poisoning.

Three girls, students of Wittenberg college, were injured at Springfield when an automobile ran over the sled on which they were riding behind another automobile.

John McGuire, 23, must die in the electric chair Feb. 2 for his alleged connection with the killing of A. E. Long, railroad detective, at Toledo. He was denied a new trial.

Members of the Cincinnati Bar association at the quarterly meeting of the association made a party, the election of judges nonpartisan, as much as lay within their power.

A train struck an automobile near Elvira, killing Leonard Rothel, 20, Columbia; Viola Loeschner, 20, Ridgeville; Irene Loeschner, 17, Ridgeville. They were returning from a party.

Plans for the establishment of a \$50,000 gymnasium building at the Ohio I. O. O. F. home in Springfield were launched at a meeting of delegates from various lodges at the home.

Stanley Arthur, 20, of Plain City, was adjudged insane in Madison county court. He was under indictment for placing a tie on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks at Plain City Dec. 25.

Superintendent S. A. Harbort of the Sandusky county schools was suspended on charges of improper conduct, inefficiency and neglect of duty by the county school board, in session at Fremont.

Out of an enrollment of 1,553 in the New Philadelphia public schools 1,288 pupils have opened savings accounts in the bank through the national educational thrift system installed recently in the schools.

Mayor George L. Oles of Youngstown announced the suspension of Chief of Police James Watkins, Oles, who has been conducting a campaign to clean up the city, said that Watkins' work "had not been satisfactory."

Three persons were killed instantly and three injured when a bobbed carrying 10 persons crashed head-on into an automobile at Newark. The dead: Mrs. Albert H. Patzinger, 32; Willis Stafel, 23, and Lester Backenstof, 18.

Governor Davis appointed E. C. Shaw, Akron; Foster Beery, London business man; H. J. Wilberding, Cleveland, and Dr. I. B. Harris, Columbus, as members of the new penitentiary commission. Shaw was named chairman and W. S. Bundy secretary of the commission.

Governor Davis ordered the Ohio public utilities commission to begin an immediate investigation of state freight rates on coal with a view to reducing such rates. He declared that the coal industry of Ohio was in such a deplorable condition that some action must be taken at once looking toward its revival.

Salaries of policemen and firemen as fixed by Akron council are approximately 5 per cent less than last year.

Thomas and William Moreland, aged 8 and 9, respectively, were drowned when they broke through the ice while skating on the old Ohio canal near Barborton.

G. W. C. Perry of Chillicothe, publisher and editor of the Scioto Gazette, will become state superintendent of pardon and parole Feb. 1, succeeding E. C. Shaw of Akron, acting superintendent, Governor Davis announced.

City Law Director Henry M. Hagelbarger was appointed temporary city manager of Akron by the city council to succeed William J. Laub, who was dismissed last week.

Herbert W. Hershberg, Republican, city librarian of Toledo, was named state librarian to succeed John Henry Newman, Democrat. The change will take place March 1.

Edible Becca, daughter of Mayor D. H. Brace, was found unconscious near the railroad tracks at Conneaut suffering from a fractured skull. It is believed a lump of coal from a passing train struck her.

William Clark, a coal miner of Neffs, Belmont county, died from injuries received in an explosion.

Common Pleas Judge Stanley Roetinger temporarily enjoined the council of the city of Norwood from putting into effect a recent ordinance providing for a renewal of the 35-cent gas rate.

Mrs. Pauline Carrothers, public school teacher at New Philadelphia, was indicted on a charge of assault and battery. A. O. Mohan, conductor on a traction line, charges that she slapped him while a passenger on a streetcar.

Tenth infantry, stationed at Camp Sherman, left for Camp Knox, Ky. Manifesto compiled voted to cut salaries of all employees 10 per cent.

Former City Councilman Andrew C. Roe, 62, East Liverpool, died following a long illness.

Ohio district convention of United Mine Workers pledged aid in the fight against child labor.

Several hundred men were given employment when activities were increased at Massillon steel plants.

Harvesting of ice has commenced at Buckeye lake. It is the first of the season and is six inches thick.

Archie Greeno, 31, of Celina, was instantly killed near St. Marys when his automobile was struck by an interurban car.

Brier Hill Steel company is considering a merger with six other steel companies, it was announced at Youngstown.

A needle which had been lodged in the throat of Patrick Farrell for more than a month was removed by a surgeon at Toledo.

Senator J. F. Burke of Elvira formally announced he would not enter the race for the Republican gubernatorial nomination.

Clyde Williams, confessed slayer of Mrs. Francis Marvin at her home in Toledo, was indicted on a charge of first degree murder.

Each pleading guilty to a charge of burglary at Defiance, Benny and Addis Wraya brothers, were sentenced to the penitentiary.

Dayton streetcar companies will accept a newly proposed 5-cent fare ordinance which will take the place of the temporary measure.

Two robbers carried a heavy safe from the Beverly car barn, near Marietta, and demolished it with a sledge. The men got about \$110.

A proclamation directing attention to the imminence of Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12, and urging its observance, was issued by Governor Davis.

Joseph Gould was named director of public safety of Lorain by Mayor William F. Graul to fill the unexpired term of Emil Calman, recently dismissed.

F. H. Wilson, president of the Cleveland, Southwestern and Columbus Railway company, was appointed receiver for that company by federal district court.

Charles Demoss, 46, Cincinnati, was shot to death in his home by his wife, Mrs. Ossie Demoss, 41, until recently an inmate of the state hospital at Dayton.

Six persons, two women, three children and a man, were severely cut and bruised when an automobile in which they were riding skidded into another machine, near Elvira.

Mrs. Louise Mander, near Elvira, killed and four other persons were seriously injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a streetcar at Cleveland.

County Agricultural Agent R. A. Martin believed to have been fatally injured with a bullet from a Merrill Weed suffered severe injuries in an automobile accident at Gallipolis.

Lafayette Smythe, taxi driver, is held at Urbana on a charge of manslaughter following the death of Charles Wright, 45. Wright was hit by Smythe's taxi and suffered a fractured skull.

Railroad Detective Patrick Garzen was shot through the neck and Detective J. C. Deboe was shot in the left breast when they attempted to arrest a prowler in the yards. The latter escaped.

Wray D. Farmin, Oberlin college junior, was notified that the national honor council of the Boy Scouts of America had voted to award him a gold medal for saving a life under exceptionally perilous circumstances.

A book shower in which the community will be invited to participate has been arranged at St. Marys by the Shakespeare club for Shakespeare's birthday, April 23. The books will be placed in the community library.

Plans for the thirty-seventh annual state Christian Endeavor convention, to be held at Akron June 27 to 30, were formulated at a conference between State Secretary Frank L. Frost of Columbus and Summit county officials.

Two bandits held up attaches of the Nash Tailoring company, Cincinnati, robbed them of the company pay roll, amounting to \$8,058, and escaped. The holdup was staged on the sidewalk in front of the factory of the company.

Mrs. Carrie Herman, 37, wife of Ambrose Herman, salesman, committed suicide at Toledo by asphyxiation. She passed a hose attached to an open gas jet through the keyhole in a large sample trunk, stepped inside the trunk and closed down the lid.

Under an arrangement effected between Governor Davis and the Veterans' bureau, Ohio's shell-shocked soldiers will be segregated and given special care in colonies, where they will occupy cottages. The colonies will be established in several cities of the state.

Thirty-four miles of highway in Allen county are to be constructed during the year 1922.

Moses Mosler, 70, president of the Mosler Safe company at Hamilton, died suddenly in the Grand Canyon, while en route to the Pacific coast with his wife for a pleasure trip.

A new natural gas rate for Cleveland of 40 cents a thousand net for the first 10,000 cubic feet, 50 cents net for the second and 60 cents for the third 10,000 cubic feet, a maximum charge of 75 cents a month, effective Feb. 1, was ordered by the district court of appeals.

Thomas Owens, 64, Cleveland, hurled himself to death from the roof of a three-story building. He had been ill in health.

John A. Murphy, manager of the Cleveland office of C. P. Bloch and Company, dealing in stocks and securities, was arrested, charged with violation of the state blue sky law.

At Cleveland Thomas Manie, 22, was shot to death by Frank Newberry, 60, his stepfather. Manie slapped his mother in a quarrel over a girl. Newberry is charged with first degree murder.

Glenn E. Bunn, 30, telegraph operator, Columbus, died from injuries received when run down by a taxicab.

Amos C. Crist of Greenacres, 73, died at Lancaster from injuries received Nov. 31 when his auto was struck by a train at Carroll.

Governor Davis issued a statement announcing definitely he would not be a candidate for the United States senate. He expressed a desire to retire to private life, but declared that he would run for re-nomination for governor if his administration was attacked.

UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 5

ELIJAH TAKEN UP INTO HEAVEN

LESSON TEXT.—II Kings, 2:1-15.
GOLDEN TEXT.—Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.—Rev. 2:10.
REFERENCE MATERIAL.—Mark 9:2-8; II Tim. 4:1-8.
PRIMARY TOPIC.—God Takes Elijah to Heaven.
JUNIOR TOPIC.—Elijah Taken Up Into Heaven.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC.—Elijah's Champion Exalted.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC.—Divine Approval of Faithful Service.

I. God Reveals to Elijah His Approaching Rapture (v. 1).
It was made known to Elijah that he was to go to heaven by a whirlwind. There is a striking correspondence between his life and his home-going. Much of his life was characterized with the rush of the storm, so God chose to take him home to himself in the whirlwind. As a reward for his faithfulness, God lifted the prophet over death into heaven. Elijah did not choose the time of his home-going, but was ready.

II. Elijah's Closing Ministry (vv. 2-8).
Knowing that the time of his home-going was near, he did not change his manner or method of life, but thoughtfully and calmly pursued his customary duties. We should so consciously be in the will of God that when the time of our departure is at hand we need not with feverish haste or distraction get things in readiness. Elijah's last days on earth were busy ones.

1. Visits the schools of the prophets (vv. 2-8). At the Lord's direction he went to give his farewell counsels to the young students whom he had been training and upon whom the future of the nation politically and religiously so largely depended. He made regular rounds in visitation and instruction. Schools were located at Gilgal, Bethel and Jericho. His educational work shows him to have been not merely an iconoclast, but a statesman of a high order.

2. Trains Elijah to be his successor (vv. 2-8). There was a real friendship between Elijah and Elisha, though the one was old and the other young. Elisha came into the life of Elijah in the field when Elijah called him from the plow (I Kings 19:19-21). Elisha clung to his master to the very last in spite of three urgent requests for him to remain behind. These tests were somewhat like those of the Master and Disciple (John 21:15-17). The great object was to get him ready to take up the work which Elijah was to lay down. The order of progress of the journey indicates, says Scofield, "the experience of every child of God who enters into a vital experience of God's best. That walk begins at Gilgal. The typical significance of Gilgal cannot be mistaken by any reader of Joshua. Gilgal was the place where a redeemed people rolled away the reproach of Egypt (Josh. 5:1-11). The next stage was Bethel—house of God—the place of vision, of spiritual insight, for Bethel was the place where Jehovah gave Jacob the great ladder vision (Gen. 28:1-19). He must go on from Bethel to Jordan. Jordan stands for the New Testament truth, crucified with Christ. There, on the resurrection side of Jordan, the gift of power awaited the prophet."

III. Elijah's Rapture (vv. 9-11).
1. Elisha's request of Elijah (v. 9). The walk of Elisha with Elijah from Gilgal to Jordan has prepared him for the final question of Elijah before his rapture. Elijah now knew that it was safe to allow Elisha to choose for himself. Elisha made a noble request—did not ask for riches, honor or position. He supremely desired the qualifications which would enable him to worthily succeed Elijah. Curiously enough, however, Elisha performed twice as many miracles as Elijah.

2. The condition of receiving was steadfastness and perseverance (v. 10). He must have faith in the invisible life in order to have power for public ministry.

3. Elijah's rapture (v. 11). It seems that he went to heaven in a chariot of fire enveloped by the whirlwind. Elijah underwent that change which all believers shall experience at the appearing of Christ (I Cor. 15:51, 52).

IV. The Spirit of Elijah Upon Elisha (vv. 12-15).
1. Elisha's cry (v. 12). He cried after Elijah, "The chariot of Israel and the horsemen thereof." This shows the value of a godly man to his country. It implies that Elijah was the true national defense. Godliness and character are more important than armies and navies.

2. Elisha uses the power (vv. 13, 14). He had faith to put the power to test.

3. The spirit of Elijah on Elisha (v. 15). This was confirmed by the sons of the prophets.

Help Cometh.
Every true life of faith has scenes in it when help comes—as it did to Elijah at the brook Cherith—from an unexpected quarter. The raven lights at our feet with food, and the dry brook begins to sing again with water. I do not believe that there is such a thing in the universe as a neglected prayer ever breathed by a docile, submissive faith. Empty of self, I am sure of being filled by Jesus.—Theodore L. Cuyler.

Exhortation to Be Ready.
Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness, looking for and hastening unto the coming of the day of God, wherein the heavens being on fire shall be dissolved, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat?—II Peter 3:11, 12.

A Prophecy of Christ.
And the angel of the Lord protested unto Joshua, saying, Hear now, O Joshua the high priest, thou, and thy fellows that sit before thee: for he hold, I will bring forth my servant the branch. In that day, saith the Lord of hosts, shall ye call every man his neighbor under the vine and under the fig tree.—Zechariah 3:8-10.

Suffering.
There is no suffering in the world but ultimately comes to be endured by God.—A. T. Quiller Couch.

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Five-Year-Old Got Drawing He Wanted, but Retribution Was Stalking Behind Him.

R. S. Grable, a St. Louis newspaper man, celebrated his fiftieth birthday in a unique way. He gave a birthday party and invited 75 children.

Cobb Shinn was in St. Louis at the time, and was asked to help entertain the youngsters by drawing pictures on the large paper hats which were given to each child. He would draw whatever the children asked for, and the subjects were many and various.

Finally a five-year-old handed up his hat and said:

"I want a pig."

The drawing was started, when a brother about a year older, spoke up: "Aw, he don't want a picture of a pig"—and the argument was on.

When the drawing was finished, the five-year-old stuck out his chest and boasted:

"See, I got what I wanted!"

"Yes, but just wait until I get you home and see if I don't ruin you," replied the brother.

The woman who weels a bad egg need not expect to enjoy the matrimonial yolk.

An Arabian proverb puts it this way: "He who has health has hope, and he who has hope has everything."

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He who employs excellent facilities and good wit to humor and please men in their vices, is the greatest enemy of mankind.

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